

THE WHITE HOUSE
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16 August 1962

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. McCONE

25X1 I have become increasingly impressed with the potential
25X1 value of the intelligence from [redacted]
the volume of which is apparently increasing very rapidly.
However, I am uncertain as to the effectiveness of the
exploitation of this material, particularly within the Armed
Services. The differing degrees of security classification
of the sources may be an obstacle to the effective integration
of all sources contributing/ [redacted]

When I visit the Defense Intelligence Agency in the near
future I intend to go into this matter with General Carroll,
after which I would appreciate an opportunity to discuss the
matter with you.

Maxwell D. Taylor
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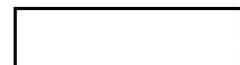


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and did not,
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MEMORANDUM FOR: General Maxwell D. Taylor
Military Representative of the President

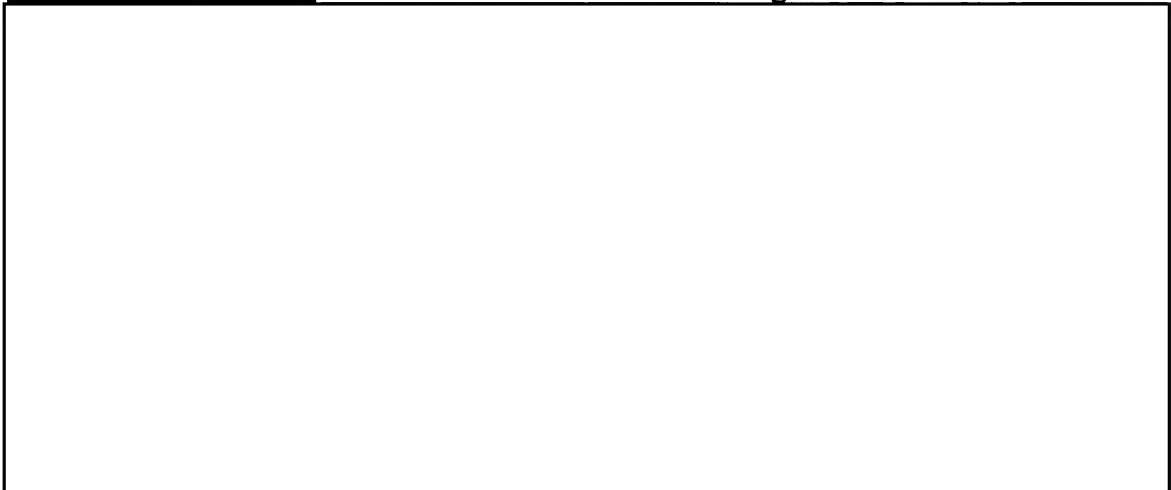
SUBJECT : Exploitation of [redacted] Materials

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25X1 1. In reference to your note of 16 August, Mr. McCone reviewed our use of [redacted] materials and asked me to convey to you his views, which follow in the paragraphs below. The material is extremely valuable, as you say, and we are trying to make maximum use of it compatible with necessary security controls. I shall be glad to talk with you at your convenience about the matter, in case you wish to discuss it before Mr. McCone returns to Washington toward the end of September.

25X1 2. Use in National Estimates. We make regular use of [redacted] material in National Intelligence Estimates.

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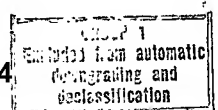


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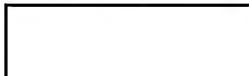
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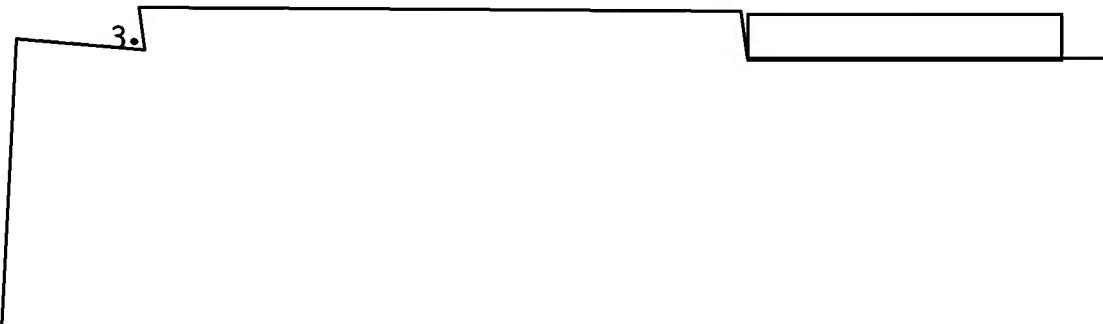


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4. To date we have encountered no acute security problems in using [redacted] materials in national estimates. The materials have in some instances been sanitized, and in others they have been explicitly used, along with other special types of intelligence, in limited-distribution estimates.

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5. Apart from national estimates, CIA uses these materials as a regular input in its research projects, such as the [redacted] reports of OCI and the intelligence studies carried out by ORR and OSI. In addition, a team of CIA analysts systematically examines each [redacted] item before publication and prepares preliminary summaries and comment on items of special interest for high-level officials in CIA and the White House.

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6. Security Considerations. Our controls on consumer handling and use of both [redacted] materials are dictated by consideration concerning the source's security.

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9. We have therefore requested USIB members to distribute the raw reports on a need-to-know basis within their intelligence components and to consult us before using the material in other publications.

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10. In considering requests for inclusion of either [redacted] information in consumer publications, we take into account their proposed classification and distribution and the extent to which information from [redacted] To date we have approved approximately two dozen requests from [redacted]

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11. We believe that consumers could take greater advantage of the existing mechanism for clearing paraphrased material for wider distribution and we wish to encourage them to do so. We are also willing to participate in an intelligence community effort to generate greater exploitation of this valuable source of intelligence. We must, however, be assured that no arrangements will be made which jeopardize the continuance of our collection effort.

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[redacted]
MARSHALL S. CARTER
Lieutenant General, USA
Acting Director

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Hank:

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new letter on [redacted]

[redacted] please relay
to General Carter advice
from Mr. McCone that he,
General Carter, handle this
with General Taylor personally.

At that time, Acting DCI
can relay orally substance of
memo on deal [redacted]

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18 August

DD/I:

Please prepare in coordination with DD/P a reply for DCI signature covering:

- 1) use of this material in the community estimative process;
- 2) re-statement of security controls and procedures with justification.


W. Elder

cc: DDCI
Ex. Dir.
DD/P

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